# **BONDERITE.** BONDERITE C-AK ETCH 9HL AERO

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#### **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

BONDERITE C-AK ETCH 9HL AERO provides the following product characteristics:

Technology	Metal Pretreatment
Product Type	Alkaline Cleaner Etchant
Application	Immersion process

BONDERITE C-AK ETCH 9HL AERO is a specially compounded liquid etchant for use on high copper aluminium alloy in the Chem-Mill Process. BONDERITE C-AK ETCH 9HL AERO has also been used with other aluminium alloys with superior results.

### **Application Areas**

BONDERITE C-AK ETCH 9HL AERO is a chemical milling etchant.

### **TECHNICAL DATA**

Appearance	brown liquid
Density, g/ml	1.37 to 1.45

#### **DIRECTION OF USE**

#### **Preliminary Statement**

Prior to use it is necessary to read the **Material Safety Data Sheet** for information about precautionary measures and safety recommendations. Also, for chemical products exempt from compulsory labeling, the relevant precautions should always be observed. Please also refer to the local safety instructions and contact Henkel for analytical support.

#### **Use instructions**

#### Equipment:

Tank: Mild steel, no lining required.

Agitation: Mild steel, no lining required.

#### Solution make-up

BONDERITE C-AK ETCH 9HL AERO  $\,$  14,5  $\,\%$  by volume, N1=6  $\,$ 

Alketch inhibitor 3.75 %, N2=2

Temperature 85 - 90° C

Fill the etch tank with water to approximately two-thirds of operating level. With continuous agitation add the required amount of BONDERITE C-AK ETCH 9HL AERO . After the solution is thoroughly mixed, and while continuing to mix, add the required amounts of BONDERITE C-AD ETCH Add3 AERO (or #3B) and ALKETCH INHIBITOR L. Continue agitation and add water to the planned operating level. After thorough mixing, check the N1 and N2 values by titration and adjust as required. To the freshly prepared (not rejuvenated) etchant solution the ALKETCH INHIBITOR-L should be added at the rate of 29 ml/liter of solution to increase the N2 value by 1 ml. Maintaining the ALKETCH INHIBITOR-L at the proper level (by control of N2) will yield optimum results in line definition and etch factor uniformity.

For information on equipment, processing, rejuvenation, solution control and recommended ranges of N1 and N2 for various aluminum alloys, refer to BONDERITE C-AK ETCH 9H AERO Product Data Bulletin.

### Storage

Temperature, °C10 to 40Shelf-life (in unopened original packaging),24months24

#### Classification

Please refer to the corresponding Material Safety Data Sheets for details on: Hazardous Information Transport Regulations Safety Regulations



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